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RICHES ARE BESIDE HER.

Considerable Cash and Securities, Also a Bank Showing Large Amount to Her Credit in a Financial Institution Have Been Discovered.

City of Mexico, Feb. 28.—Marie Jesus Negrete de Guzman, sister of Gen. Pedro Romule Negrete, was found dead in a room in the poorest quarters of the city. Although surrounded by the most squalid furnishings, the authorities, on searching the room, found \$25,000 in cash and securities belonging to the woman. A bank book showed she had on deposit in Guatemala the sum of \$30,000. The woman had long been known as a miser. The police are investigating the circumstances surrounding the death and the alleged theft of \$6,000 from the room.

GIVEN VACATION.

Teller Fitzgerald Is Granted Indefinite Leave of Absence.

Chicago, Feb. 28.—George W. Fitzgerald, the teller in the subtreasury from whose cage \$173,000 disappeared, has been given an indefinite leave of absence by the authorities of the subtreasury. It is reported that Fitzgerald has worried so much since the shortage came to light that it was considered best to relieve him from work until he has in a measure recovered from the nervous strain. Subtreasurer Bolden announced that Deputy Assistant Treasurer Bantz has completed his examination of the books of Teller Fitzgerald, and has proven beyond a doubt that the \$173,000 which is missing was stolen. There is no mistake in Fitzgerald's accounts.

COTTONSEED CONSUMED.

Four Thousand Tons, Machinery and Boxcars Burn Up.

Jackson, Miss., Feb. 28.—The seed house of the Buckeye Cotton Oil company of this place was destroyed by fire. The building was a large frame structure, and contained 4,000 tons of cottonseed, valued at \$60,000, which is an entire loss, along with the building and machinery, worth \$10,000. Eight boxcars on the tracks of the Illinois Central railroad, loaded with seed for the mill, were also destroyed, which will run the total loss up to a little over \$100,000.

Lane Arrested.

Muskogee, Feb. 28.—Lyman K. Lane, former financial clerk in the office of United States Indian Agent Kelsey, was arrested here on charge of embezzlement of \$7,895 of government funds on July 1, 1905. Action was based on Special Inspector Schooley's report after an investigation. Lane has been suspended for the past two months, but made no attempt to escape. He was released on \$2,500 bond.

Receives Increase.

El Paso, Feb. 28.—The result of the negotiations that have been going on for some time between Vice President Hudson and a committee representing the engineers of the Mexican Central railroad, issued a statement in which the engineers receive an increase of 12 per cent in wages. This places the Mexican Central engineers on the same scale as those of the other lines in Mexico.

Anti-Pool Bill Signed.

Little Rock, Feb. 28.—Acting Governor Moore has signed the bill by Senator Ams which prohibits pool selling in Arkansas, whether on any race run within or without the state. It practically means the end of horse racing in Arkansas, and in addition, will result in the closing of pool rooms in this state.

For New Site.

Washington, Feb. 28.—The George Washington university has appointed an alumni committee and citizens' committee to raise \$400,000 for the purchase of a new site for the institution. The money is being raised by popular subscription, \$85,000 of the amount having already been donated.

Formally Killed.

Guthrie, Feb. 28.—The constitutional convention formally killed the separate coach proposition by laying the committee report favoring it on the table. It had been intimated that President Roosevelt would not approve the constitution if it contained the clause.

Stamp Tax.

Jefferson City, March 1.—The house of the Missouri legislature passed the senate bill providing for a stamp tax of 25 cents on each ten shares of stock, 1,000 bushels of grain or 1,000 pounds of cotton or pork sold on the stock exchanges for future delivery.

Agreed to by Senate.

Washington, Feb. 28.—After listening to an argument by Senator Patterson in favor of government ownership of railroads the senate agreed to the conference report on the rivers and harbors appropriations bill.

MENTAL INSTABILITY."

Dr. Evans Thinks Letters Show Temporary Insanity.

WRITER'S MIND UNSOUND

Witness of Opinion Thaw Loved Miss Nesbit Just as Much While Touring Europe Together as if They Were in State of Matrimony.

New York, Feb. 28.—Dr. Evans was recalled when court reconvened in the Thaw trial Thursday and his cross-examination resumed by Mr. Jerome. When court adjourned Wednesday Dr. Evans was given copies of letters in evidence of a will and codicil that may be prepared for cross-examination on the theory that the documents contain evidence of an unsound mind. Mr. Jerome spent twenty minutes in an effort to have Dr. Evans say "he carefully" read the documents. He would only go as far as to say he had done the best he could. Mr. Jerome told him to go ahead and read them again and the witness proceeded to do so.

Dr. Evans finally stated that several letters bore no address and therefore those were of little use in his attempt to discover whether the writer was of sound mind.

"Do any of these letters show the writer was insane?" asked Mr. Jerome. "Some of them, in my opinion, show signs of mental instability."

"By mental instability, do you mean insanity?"

"Not insanity in the sense that the writer would remain permanently insane."

Dr. Evans went into a long explanation of his reason for his theory that the letters showed mental instability. A letter written with a lead pencil by Thaw to Miss Nesbit showed, he said, lack of a sense of the proper proprieties, loss of aesthetic sense and various other things which the doctor believed showed the writer was of unsound mind, due to environment of wealth and luxury in which he had been reared. Dr. Evans also said some of the letters were addressed to a girl for whose hand the writer was suing.

"Would the fact that the writer had been travelling through Europe with a young woman as man and wife, though not married, have any effect on your opinion?"

"No," replied Dr. Evans, "for a man under those circumstances may love a woman just as much as though she were bound to him by holier ties."

"Does that letter, taken alone and entirely separate from everything else in the case, show a pathological condition on the part of the writer?" asked Mr. Jerome.

It took nearly half an hour and many questions to secure the wished-for answer. Dr. Evans finally said that if the letter had been handed to him without his knowledge of who wrote it or any of the circumstances he would not be able to form any opinion regarding the pathological condition of the writer.

SENSATIONAL STORY.

Alleged That Congress Was Bought by Tomas Estrada Palma.

Madrid, Feb. 28.—A sensation has been caused here by the publication of a story, credited to the Diario de la Marina of Havana, which purports to show by documentary evidence that the United States congress was bought in 1897 by Tomas Estrada Palma to insure war being declared against Spain. According to the Havana newspaper, bonds to the value of \$37,000,000, redeemable when Cuba should become independent, were issued at Washington to senators, and a contract exists which contains phraseology like that of the joint resolution of April, 1898, voted by congress. The article says further that the value of the bonds fell heavily in 1899, and therefore a new contract was made between Palma and the American senators. Count Salazar, minister of foreign affairs, has telegraphed to the Spanish representatives at Washington for the fullest information.

FREE FIGHT RESULTS.

One Man Dead, Two Badly Wounded and Three Under Arrest.

New York, Feb. 28.—One man is dead, two others have serious bullet wounds and three more are under arrest as the result of a free fight in a Third avenue saloon. Michael Gallo, the dead man, is said by the police to have been prominent in the "Black Hand" society, and the theory is, his murder is in the nature of an act of reprisal for breach of confidence on his part. The men under arrest are Louis Indorf, bartender in the saloon; Louis Zimmerman, a contractor, and Lorenzo Condesa, who lives in the vicinity of the saloon. Indorf and Zimmerman were wounded.

White's Farewell.

Rome, Feb. 28.—Henry White, the retiring American ambassador, paid farewell visits to Premier Gioiello and the presidents of the senate and chamber of deputies, who all expressed the most friendly feelings for the United States.

Great Race Track Planned.

Chattanooga, Feb. 28.—Horsemen put out of business at Nashville and Memphis by legislation prohibiting racing in Tennessee are planning to establish a great race track just across the Georgia line, five miles away. Big men in sporting circles are interested.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT DEPOSITORY

At the close of business January 26th, 1907.

Resources.

Loans and Discounts	:	\$410,592.43
U. S. Bonds	:	150,200.00
Premium on Bonds	:	6,400.00
Stocks, Securities, Etc	:	192.00
Real Estate, Furniture, Fixture	:	750.00
Expense Account	:	103.65
Cash	:	380,831.65
		\$959,069.73

Liabilities.

Capital Stock	:	\$100,000.00
Surplus	:	40,000.00
Undivided Profits	:	12,649.68
Circulation	:	100,000.00
Deposits	:	706,420.05
		\$959,069.73

I, H. O. Boatwright, vice president of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. O. BOATWRIGHT, Vice Pres.

Correct Attest:

I. W. HOWELL,
L. L. MCINNIS,
F. M. LAW,

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The Eagle is authorized to announce
H. E. PEVERLEY
as a candidate for the office of City Secretary
at the ensuing City election in April.

BRYAN, TEXAS, MARCH 1, 1907.

Milan county editors have organized a press association and will contest the anti-pass law in relation to mileage on advertising contracts.

The Business League of Bryan has in hand a proposition looking to the establishment of a sewerage system. We doubt if Bryan's need in this direction is any more urgent than Navasota's.—Navasota Examiner.

Now is the time for all good democrats to quit chewing the rag about the Bailey matter, whether they are satisfied or not. A majority of the legislature, elected by and representing the democratic party, has declared in his favor, and there is nothing to warrant a continuation of the strife. Six years hence the voters individually will likely have another chance to express their sentiments regarding Mr. Bailey at the polls, and until that time at least there should be no cause for division.

COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS.

Rooms in the Courthouse Available and
\$1000.00 Guaranteed for Library
Purposes.

The Eagle is advised Senator Harper and Representative Davis have in hand the work of endeavoring to secure the location of the proposed new court of civil appeals in Bryan, and that those actively interested in Bryan are rendering all the assistance possible. It has been ascertained and our representatives have been advised that adequate room for the court can be had up-stairs in the east side of the courthouse, where some four or five rooms are available. The sum of \$1000.00 for library purposes has, the Eagle learns from Mr. Sam R. Henderson, been guaranteed as a further inducement to secure the location of the court here. It is estimated by persons familiar with the subject that the location of the court in Bryan would be worth \$10,000.00 annually to the city.

"OLD HOSS SALE."

The ladies of the Methodist church will give an "Old Hoss Sale" at the City Hall at 3 p. m., Friday March 8. Each of the sealed packages will be plainly marked at true value and sold for the price indicated, all the articles offered for sale being useful and desirable. The ladies will also serve home made candy and lemonade. 70

STONE BROUGHT TO BRYAN.

H. L. Spratt, a Young Business Man of
Millican, Shot and Killed Yesterday Morning.

News was received here yesterday of the killing of a young man named H. L. Spratt at Millican some time after midnight yesterday morning, according to reports probably about 3 or 4 o'clock. Officers here were notified and Sheriff Nail and County Attorney Lamar Bethea left for the scene on a freight train.

Mr. Spratt was about thirty years old and was reared in the Millican community. He recently purchased property and engaged in the dry goods business there. He was a brother of Will Spratt, formerly of this county, and now residing at Stephenville, Erath county.

A young white man from Hempstead, said to be in the insurance business, is charged with the killing.

LATER—Sheriff Nail and County Attorney Bethea returned from Millican late yesterday afternoon and reported that the killing of Spratt was done at 3:30 o'clock yesterday morning, and Harold Stone, an insurance agent, is charged with the shooting. Stone is said to be from Kentucky, and lately spent about a month in Millican for about eight days. The reports indicate that the killing grew out of an alleged effort to intimidate Stone and run him out of town.

Shortly after the shooting it is stated that Stone called at the home of a Millican physician and told him what he had done and requested the doctor to go to the scene of the shooting.

Sheriff Nail was advised by a telephone message from R. B. Dawson at Millican about 6 o'clock yesterday afternoon that young Stone was in the custody of City Marshal Loftin at Navasota. He was brought here last night and taken in charge at the depot by Deputy Sheriff Conlee.

BAZAAR NOTICE.

Those who have promised articles for the Baptist Bazaar will please be ready for the committee when they call Thursday, Feb. 28. Bazaar opens at city hall, Friday at 10 a. m. 69

NOTICE TO BRAZOS RIVER BRIDGE STOCKHOLDERS.

The Directors of Brazos River Bridge Co. have declared a dividend of 18 per cent. Holders of Secretary receipts for stock are requested to present same to the undersigned, for payment.

G. S. Parker, Secy. 72
W. E. Saunders, Pres.

SPRING SALE.

The ladies of the Baptist church announce their annual Spring Bazaar and sale of cakes, candies, etc., at the city hall Friday and Saturday, March 1st and 2nd. Doors open at 10 o'clock Friday morning. Everybody invited. 70



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"DISPATCH" DENOUNCED.

Alleged "Wine, Women and Song" Article Not Sent by Telegraph.

Austin, Feb. 28.—A concurrent resolution was introduced in the senate denouncing the New York American and other Hearst papers for printing the "Wine, Women and Song" dispatch. It is declared in the resolution that the item did not originate in Austin, but was alleged to have been manufactured in an office of these papers.

The senate spent the entire morning session Thursday discussing a bill to regulate disorderly houses. An amendment was adopted providing that the proposed act shall apply to all cities in the state which regulate bawdy houses by provisions of charter.

There were no house committee meetings Thursday morning. Representative McGregor, a member of the Bailey investigating committee, concurred in the Jenkins minority report on the Bailey investigation, and in addition thereto he asserts as a fact that the letters between Judge Clark and Johnson are genuine, and that the vouchers in the hands of the attorney general are not forgeries.

Senator Meachum introduced a bill in the senate giving authority to railroads to issue bonds on equipment and other property on which, under the present law, they are unable to issue bonds.

Representative Strickland has introduced a bill in the house appropriating \$5,000 to place a monument over the grave of Sam Houston.

The governor granted a stay of execution to John Boyd, a negro, who was sentenced to be hanged Friday at La Grange for murder. The reprieve was granted to July 1, pending a decision of the United States supreme court. This case was appealed on the allegation that the negro race had been discriminated against while the trial jury was being selected.

TWENTY-CENT SUIT.

Legal Battle of Three Hours Results In Defendants Winning.

Muskogee, Feb. 28.—For three hours a legal battle between contending attorneys was fought in the United States court in this city over a suit for 20 cents.

The suit was that of F. C. Garner, a former banker of Warner, I. T., against the Midland Valley Railroad company. Garner had shipped some household goods from Warner to this city over the Midland Valley. The charges for freight were 45 cents. The goods remained in storage in this city for four days, for which the railroad company charged 20 cents, 5 cents per day. Garner declined to pay the 20 cents and began suit to replevin the goods. Defendants won.

Departs From Panama.

Panama, Feb. 28.—John F. Stevens, until recently chief engineer of the Panama canal, left for New York.

LOCOMOTIVE BLOWS UP.

Engineer and Brakeman Killed and
Other Parties Injured.

Shawnee, Okla., Feb. 28.—A freight engine of the Rock Island railroad was blown up at Earlsboro, eight miles west of Shawnee, while pulling up a steep grade at 4:51 o'clock Thursday morning. The killed were: Engineer John Schmitt of Shawnee and Brakeman Ed Cook of Shawnee. The injured are: Fireman William Barnes of Shawnee, badly scalded and the face; Clarence James Craddock of Campbell, Okla., badly scalded and recovery doubtful. Craddock boarded the train at Holdenville and was earning a ride to Shawnee to seek employment at the shops here when the explosion occurred. Craddock was assisting the reman on the engine. All were thrown twenty or more feet by the explosion and the engine is a total wreck.

A telegram was found in the engineer's pocket telling him to hurry to his brother's funeral in New York. A watch, badly broken, was also in his pocket. It stopped at 4:51 o'clock. The accident occurred two miles west of Earlsboro and Craddock walked into town to give the news and fell exhausted from his burns. A doctor was called in by the night operator and the dead and injured were shipped to Shawnee.

The cause of the explosion is unknown, but is believed to be due to the desperate steam required to make the grade and the engine was old.

SHORTAGE DISCLOSED.

Katy Officials Discover Discrepancy of
Over Five Thousand Dollars.

Waxahachie, Tex., Feb. 28.—Official examination of the books and records of the local freight office of the Katy discloses a shortage of a little more than \$5,000. Discrepancies in the accounts of the office occurred between December and February, and nearly the entire amount was for freight charges collected on prepaid cotton. No arrest has been made, but officers are looking for a former employee. The grand jury began an investigation of the matter.

RICKEY TRADED.

Former Texas Baseball Catcher Goes
to New York American League.

New York, Feb. 28.—Manager Griffith of the New York club of the American Baseball league carried out a deal with the St. Louis American club by which infielder Joe Yeager is traded to St. Louis for Branch Rickey, a young catcher, who did excellent work for St. Louis last season. Rickey was backstop two seasons for the Dallas club of the Texas league.



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No. 3 North bound.....1:38 p. m.
 No. 5 North bound.....12:46 a. m.
 No. 2 South bound.....3:40 p. m.
 No. 6 South bound.....2:48 a. m

I. & G. N. SCHEDULE

No. 102 North bound.....10:20 a. m.
 No. 101 South bound.....5:05 p. m.

C. M. Spell is here from Houston.
 Sam B. Wilson visited Navasota yesterday.

Call for Pretoria Rye, 12 years old.
 Pretoria Rye is a favorite drink at all aloons.

Jeff Cole left yesterday for the Wheelock community.
 Miss Bessie Seale returned to Benchley yesterday.

W. E. Gandy was in from Rock Prairie yesterday.
 John E. Astin returned from Houston yesterday.

No had after effects from drinking Pretoria Rye.
 Johnnie Sanders of Stone City was in town yesterday.

Mrs. W. L. Terry arrived from Ft. Worth yesterday.
 Jesse Conlee has returned from a visit to Baylor county.

J. L. Putz was in the city yesterday and alled on the Eagle.
 District Clerk H. O. Jones went to Millican yesterday.

Miss Frankie Armstrong of Hearne is sitting in this city.
 Mrs. Jas. L. Christian and little son are sitting in Cameron.

Under the pure food law Pretoria Rye ust be 12 years old
 Chas. Carr returned yesterday after an sided business trip.

Miss Pearl Gandy was a visitor from ock Prairie yesterday.
 T. A. and T. L. Tobias were visitors on Kurten yesterday.

Mrs. J. C. McHaney and children are sitting in San Antonio.
 Miss Mary Olejnik returned yesterday er a visit at Benchley.

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R. L. Seale of Mumford has been spend-
 ing several days in the city.

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Mrs. Ann Steele was a visitor to this city yesterday from Millican.

Miss Mollie Kalneer returned to Foun- tain yesterday after a visit here.

A. J. Tabor and A. J. Tabor Jr. were visitors from Rock Prairie yesterday.

Mrs. George Dunn of Hearne is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph B. Dunn.

Miss Mattie Minter of Mexia is the guest of Prof. and Mrs. T. S. Minter.

Rev. Schnitzer of Houston was in the city yesterday the guest of Rev. Gleissner.

Ladies, don't forget my book of decora- tions and latest wall paper. W. A. Dod- son. d75

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Mrs. Volney Cavitt of Wheelock was in the city yesterday en route to visit at Sar- atoga.

Lost--Yesterday, (Tuesday) a baby's white fur. Reward for return to the Eagle office. d70

Remember that on all orders from Foun- tain's today you get votes in the Piano contest. d1t

Our entire line of ladies Ribbon Ties at \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00, just arrived. Norwood. 70

Mrs. G. R. Wicker, Miss Eleanor and G. R. Wicker Jr. left yesterday to visit in Austin.

\$256.00 worth of ladies' fine Oxfords, Ribbon Ties and Pumps received today at Norwood's. 70

Barred Plymouth Rock eggs for sale. Setting of 15 for \$1.00. Mrs. Jno. M. Caldwell. 71

Ralph Risser of Ballinger has arrived here to join his wife and her mother in a visit to relatives.

Mrs. E. Gandy returned to Rock Prairie yesterday after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Romney Dansby.

Wm. Reeves of Ft. Worth was in the city yesterday. Mr. Reeves formerly re- sided in Caldwell.

Miss Mattie Tabor left yesterday to visit in Houston, and at West Point and other places in Mississippi.

Suits and skirts of silk and voile n the new spring shades. Mrs. Mary Lawrence, Agent Ed Kiam, Houston. tf

Have your Spring Suit Cleaned and Pres- sed by the Bryan Pressing Club. Phone 266 and we will send for it. 73

Attention is directed to change in the advertisement of Ed Hall in the Eagle this morning. Read his prices. d1t

Mrs. C. O. Brooks of Greenville, moth- er of Mrs. W. C. Fountain, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Fountain.

We want everybody in Bryan and vi- cinity to call and see the many pretty styles of slippers just received. Norwood. 70

The National Biscuit Co., will demon- strate at this store Saturday and we invite you to call. Ed Hall, The Grocer. 81

\$1.50 gets you a card to the Bryan Press- ing Club which entitles you to four suits pressed per month. Payable in advance. 73

J. D. Dunaway, sergeant of Company B, State Ranger Force, headquarters at Trinity, Texas, was in the city yesterday.

We sell or rent sewing machines on small monthly payments. T. A. Satter- white at Mrs. B. White's furniture store d56tf

For fine fresh bred and cakes of all kinds call at the Texas Bakery. Careful at- tention to special orders. Phone 86. Mrs. Otto Boehme. d tf

I will spend Saturday in Houston. All orders given me now will have my best at- tention. Mrs. Nellie Ballard, agent Levy Bros. Houston. 70

We have Oxfords, in patent and plain kid, with heavy soles and light soles, with plain toe and rap toe, in narrow and broad styles. Norwood. 70

Miss Judy McConnico, after a visit to friends in this city, returned to Houston yesterday afternoon, accompanied by little Miss Ama Jo Ford.

Mrs. H. C. Inskeep and children of Romney, W. Va., after a visit to relatives here and near Edge, left yesterday to visit in Marlin and Dallas.

W. T. James of the firm of James & Nunn, was called to Millican yesterday to embalm the body of H. L. Spratt, killed there at an early hour yesterday morning.

Miss Mary E. Horn arrived from Waco yesterday afternoon and went out to Kur- ten to conclude the work of organizing a lodge of Royal Neighbors of America, which she began there recently.

Rev. J. R. Miller, who arrived a few days since from Douglas, Arizona, where he has been working in the interest of the Apostolic Faith movement, left for Hous- ton yesterday, after a visit to relatives here.

The merchants are receiving and open- ing up a large stock of fresh new spring goods, and the rains having assured an auspicious beginning of the new crop sea- son, indications are that business will be good in all lines.

Prudence and good business judgment suggest that you should at all times keep your life and property well insured. Con- sult Jno. B. Hines for anything in the in- surance line. Office in Smith Building. Phone 161. 24tf

Col. and Mrs. J. G. Harrison, formerly of College Station, are now permantly located in Houston, and are living at No. 1314 Rusk Avenue. Col. Harrison has a position in the office of the Houston Pack- ing Co., one of the big enterprises of the Bayou City.

The annual Arbor Day at Villa Maria will this year take place on March 2nd. Appreciating the favors of the past, any contribution of trees and shrubs will be gratefully accepted by the Mother Superior and community. 70

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Levy arrived yester- day from Helena, Ark., where Mrs. Levy has been visiting relatives for some time. Mr. Levy, during his absence, made a business trip to St. Louis, Chicago and other points.

Representing the best of companies in all lines of insurance, I invite a liberal share of your business in 1907. Carefu- and prompt attention to all business entrust- ed. Office up-stairs in Smith Building Phone 161. Jno. B. Hines 24tf

The I. & G. N. is making long needed improvements in the depot at Valley Junc- tion. Additions for waiting rooms, office, etc., are being built at each end of the old depot building and when completed will afford very comfortable accommodations for waiting travelers.

A. W. Clark, F. N. Humphrey, C. P. Speer and R. E. Terhune, the "In-Er Seal Cadets," are in the city accompanied by S. H. Alexander of Houston, and rep- resenting the National Biscuit Company. They are visiting the homes of the people in the interest of the local trade on these goods, exploiting some of the new varie- ties made by manufacturers of Unedda Biscuit, and taking orders.

Your order to us, given the In-Er Seal Cadets, will get fresh goods. Howell Bros. 71

Miss Elder, after a visit to her home in Illinois and to the Millinery markets of the East, arrived yesterday morning to re- sume her position in charge of Wagner & Brandon's Millinery Department. Miss Elder, who is an accomplished artist in the sphere of pleasing feminine fancies, spent last season in Bryan and achieved success professionally as well as making many personal friends. Miss Lena Wetter, who has been with Wagner & Brandon's mil- linery department several seasons and con- vided much to its prosperity, resumed her duties on Monday last, and the two ladies are making preparations for the new season.

PIANO CONTEST CLOSES.

Villa Maria Ursuline Academy Wins the Piano Awarded by Local Merchants.

The merchants' piano contest closed last night and Villa Maria Ursuline Academy being the suc- cessful contestant, will receive a handsome new King piano from the stock of Collier & Caldwell. The merchants who purchased the piano and gave tickets for the con- test are Wagner & Brandon, J. Al- len Myers, Emmel & Maloney, E. J. Fountain and Levy Bros. The contest was inaugurated in Decem- ber and has excited a great deal of interest from the beginning. Fol- lowing is the result of the final count of votes last night:

Villa Maria.....9498
 Miss Pearl Gandy.....8108
 Texas Woman's College.....7669
 Mrs. Louise Martin.....595
 Methodist Church.....401
 Miss Nellie Hudspeth.....244
 Christian Church.....176
 Allen Academy.....30
 Miss Laura Mimms.....23
 Miss Icey Bullock.....21
 Miss Cora Morgan, Reliance.....20
 Steep Hollow Church.....20
 Kings Daughters.....18
 Jack Johnson.....1

Give the Inner Seal Cadets orders through E. J. Fountain and meet them at the store on Saturday. E. J. Fountain 71

BASKET BALL GAME.

There will be a game of basket ball be- tween the Baylor University team of Waco and the Allen Academy at the Academy grounds in this city on Saturday afternoon, March 2. Game called at 4:30. Admis- sion 25 cents. A good game is expected as both teams are in fine condition. 71

We have a fresh car of American Beauty flour on track this morning. E. J. Foun- tain. 70

Weds Nicaraguan Minister.

Washington, Feb. 28.—Miss India Bell Vedder Fleming, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Robert L. Fleming, was mar- ried to Don Louis F. Corea, the Nic- araguan minister to the United States.

Texan Drops Dead.

Memphis, Feb. 28.—A. L. Bryant of San Antonio, Tex., while awaiting a train for Tyler, Tex., dropped dead.

BREVITIES BUNCHED.

Owing to car shortage a lumber fire- line is feared in Oklahoma.

Governor Folk of Missouri signed the 2-cent railroad fare bill.

J. W. Hailey has been appointed postmaster at Chillicothe, Tex.

A business lot on Main street, Ard- more, 48x299 feet, sold for \$37,000—a record price.

The infant of Newton Tucker was found dead in bed at Shady Grove, near Paris, Tex.

Two hundred quail concealed in egg cases were sized at Longdale, Okla. An arrest was made.

The postoffice at Russett, near Ard- more, was robbed of stamps and other valuables amounting to \$200.

Senate committee on military affairs postponed further hearing in the Brownsville matter until March 11.

In one day at Waxahachie, Tex., thirty-nine divorce suits were dismissed and sixteen separations granted.

Lawton, Okla., will construct a dam and reservoir in the Wichitas for an additional water supply for that city.

The Transcontinental Compress com- pany of Clarksville, Tex., has com- pressed over 40,000 bales of cotton this season.

In a train collision at Mexico, Mo., due to a fog, Engineer William Slueing was killed and twenty other persons injured.

At the request of Recorder Lazarus of New York Mrs. Joseph Rickley sen- tenced her husband to jail for failure to provide for her.

The four-month-old twins of a farm- er named Holmes of Spring Hill, La- mar county, Texas, died a few hours apart of congestion.

Men's Fine Trousers

At Big Reductions in Prices

Just at this season of the year, when yon need an extra pair of trousers to tone up your winter suit, we offer you choice of our entire high grade troasers at these money saving prices.



This is an opportunity you can not afford to let pass by.

All \$1 now.....	\$1.25
All \$2.00 pants now.....	\$1.45
All \$2.50 pants now.....	\$1.85
All \$3.00 pants now.....	\$2.35
All \$3.50 pants now.....	\$2.65
All \$4.00 pants now.....	\$2.95
All \$5.00 pants now.....	\$3.85
All \$6.00 pants now.....	\$4.85
All \$7.00 pants now.....	\$5.85
All \$8.00 pants now.....	\$6.85

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My stock is complete with Fresh Goods. Fancy Cakes and Crackers in packages and bulk. Nice assortment of Candies. Telmo Canned Goods cannot be excelled for quality. Mince Meat in packages and in bulk. Pickles, sweet mixed. Mangoes and Plain Cucumbers.

Weekly shipment of Premium Hams and Breakfast Bacon.

Every article bought of me is sold under an absolute guarantee.

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in our store and an unexcelled stock of pure drugs are a sufficient guarantee of the accuracy and promptness of our prescription work. Our stock includes everything pertaining to the drug business. Phone 45 2 rings.

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WHETS THE APPETITE AND MAKES

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140 acres 8 miles south of Bryan. Large
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Price \$1400 00

The Capt. Polk brick residence, 1 mile
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About 400 acres of land convenient to
market, 200 acres prairie and farm, 200
acres in timber, fine well of water, first
class improvements, an ideal home and a
safe investment.

2 lots on south side of block, 3 blocks
from Main street. 5 room residence, good
stables, garden, and fine well of water.
Price \$1000.00, terms easy.

Good residence property near Allen
Academy, 5 room house, stable, lot
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I also have some clients who are in the
market for both farm and city property. If
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New 5 room house, just finished, good
new cribs, new fences, new well, new
cistern, new garden, newly painted. Four
acres of newly fertilized land, situated on
south side of town, close in. Plenty room
for truck farm, plenty room for orchard,
plenty room to grow chickens, plenty
room to grow healthy children. Plenty
good fresh air. This place is worth
\$2500.00, but to sell quick am offering at

\$1250.00

Remember it is "right up in town."

PHONE 359

MONROE EDGE

Dr. J. F. Eaves

Physician and Surgeon

AND GENERAL PRACTITIONER.

FELTON AND HILLIARD.

Prominent Railroad Officials Testify

Regarding Chicago and Alton.

New York, Feb. 28.—When the in-
terstate commerce commission re-
sumed its investigation of the Harri-
man lines Thursday Samuel Felton,
president of the Chicago and Alton
railroad since 1899, was called to show
about \$1,000,000 from income as
against proceeds from the sale of se-
curities included in statement. He
showed \$22,000,000 had been expend-
ed in improvements. This \$22,000,000
also included \$2,780,000 expended
since last June and paid for by car
trust certificates. This reduced the
expenditures from the sale of securi-
ties by the Alton to \$18,000,000 and
\$19,000,000.

Charles W. Hilliard, comptroller of
the Chicago and Alton, who was on
the stand when the hearing adjourned
Wednesday evening, was then recalled.
In reply to Mr. Kellogg he explained
that the branch line or cut-off from a
point near Murrayville to Springfield,
which he had testified had been mort-
gaged before it was built, was the one
which the Chicago and Alton had the
right to build. Proceedings of this
sort, he said, were not unusual. The
line of inquiry evidently meant to cor-
rect the impression by counsel's ques-
tions and Mr. Hilliard's replies Wed-
nesday. Mr. Kellogg examined the wit-
ness at length as to the books of the
company, and he was asked to pro-
duce the books, identify and explain
many points already heard in the evi-
dence.

The witness was examined as to the
\$12,000,000 which is claimed the
Harriman party had added to the cap-
ital of the Alton because that amount
had been expended on improvements
or had been lost by former share-
holders.

GARRISON GONE.

Son of Leading Abolitionist and Long-
time Editor Breathes His Last.

New York, Feb. 28.—Wendell Phil-
lips Garrison, son of William Lloyd
Garrison, the abolitionist and for more
than forty years editor of the New
York National, died at South Orange,
N. J., aged sixty-six years. In 1861
Mr. Garrison became associated with
L. T. Godkin in founding the Nation,
which in 1861 was combined with the
New York Evening Post. Under the
new management Mr. Garrison became
literary editor of the Evening Post and
editor in chief of the Nation. This
position he held until his retirement
last June.

FEDERAL CONTROL ASKED.

Ship Owners and Exporters Transfer
of Quarantine Station.

New Orleans, Feb. 28.—Ship own-
ers and exporters here have launched
a movement to bring about the trans-
fer of the quarantine station at this
port from state to Federal control.
They contend because of quarantine
stations in Alabama, Florida and
South Carolina, which stations are at
competing ports, being under Federal
jurisdiction, uniform quarantine can-
not be maintained.

CULEBRA CUT EXCAVATION.

Nearly Six Hundred and Fifty Thou-
sand Cubic Yards in February.

Washington, Feb. 28.—According to
a cablegram received at the war de-
partment from Chief Engineer Stev-
ens the excavation of Culebra cut
for the month of February amounts to
almost 650,000 cubic yards. Mr. Stev-
ens says the present organization,
working one shift, can, in the near
future, put out approximately 1,000,
000 yards monthly.

ARMAMENT LIMITATION.

Spain Ready For Discussion of the
Anglo-American Proposition.

Rome, Feb. 28.—At a conference
which has just taken place between
Professor de Martens, Russian imper-
ial councillor of state and Duke Areos,
Spanish ambassador here, the latter
allowed it be known that Spain was
ready to endorse the Anglo-American
proposition for discussion of the ques-
tion for limitation of armaments at the
approaching peace conference at The
Hague.

DEPART FOR JAMESTOWN.

Two Japanese Cruisers Leave Yoko-
hama For Historic Virginia Town.

Yokohama, Feb. 28.—The Japanese
cruisers Tsukuba and Chitose left for
Jamestown, Va. They were given an
impressive send-off. Vice Admiral
Sato, Admirals Togo, Ito, Inouke, the
naval attaches at the American embas-
sy, Consul General Miller and local
Japanese officials were present.

JANUARY AND JUNE.

Ike Meeks, Aged Eighty-Four, Has
Bride In Her Teens.

Denison, Feb. 28.—Ike Meeks, a
leading cattleman of the Choctaw na-
tion, and bride are spending their
honeymoon at this city. Mr. Meeks,
who is a well preserved man, is eighty-
four years of age, while his bride is
but nineteen.

Submitted to Clark.

St. Louis, Feb. 28.—The boilermak-
ers and helpers employ by the Mis-
souri Pacific-Iron Mountain system,
who have been on strike to secure
higher wages, agreed to return to
work between now and Monday and
submit their grievances to Vice Presi-
dent Clark of this system for adjust-
ment. The men will return to work
at the same scale they received when
they made their demands for an in-
crease.

Appropriation Wanted.

Austin, Feb. 28.—Texas National
Guard association desires a \$25,000 ap-
propriation for this year's encamp-
ment.

COMPARED TO CARRION.

Democracy Given a Roast by Congress-
man Minor of Wisconsin.

Washington, Feb. 28.—When the
house in committee of the whole re-
sumed general debate Wednesday on
the ship subsidy bill, Minor of Wis-
consin opened the debate in favor of
the measure. Speaking of the opposi-
tion to the bill on the part of labor,
he said that it was only a part of the
Federation of Labor under the whip
and spur of its president that opposed
the measure.

Speaking of the Democratic opposi-
tion, he said: "Everything the Demo-
crats have touch in the past has gone
to decay. If they would ever have the
opportunity to touch any American in-
dustry in the future it will go to de-
cay. Democracy lives in the carrion
pile caused by the decay of American
industries."

"I want to say right here," said Mr.
Humphreys of Washington, in favor of
the bill, "that Hill and Harriman are
not in favor of these lines. The hand
of Harriman is here in this house now,
and it is over on the Democratic side
trying to defeat these lines, because
Harriman wants them defeated. The
reason is plain; it is because Harri-
man has said that he would not take
advantage of this subsidy. He can-
not do it because he would have to
change his crews, he would have to
run on regular schedules and he would
have to go to the Philippines."

Mr. Sullivan of Massachusetts inter-
rupted, saying: "You have made a se-
rious charge about this side of the
house. I would like to ask you to sub-
mit some particle of evidence upon
which that charge is based, that Har-
riman's hand is felt on this side of
the house. Either prove it or with-
draw it." (Applause on the Democrat-
ic side.)

Mr. Humphreys reiterated what he
had said about Hill and Harriman be-
ing opposed to the measure.

Messrs. Wilson of Illinois and Rob-
inson of Arkansas spoke in opposition
to the bill.

At the night session the galleries
were crowded. Mr. Gillespie of Texas
spoke in opposition to the bill. He de-
nounced the policy outlined in the bill
as false in every economic sense.

The first endorsement of President
Roosevelt for the Republican presi-
dential nomination in 1908 on the
floor of the house was made during the
night session by Representative Gron-
na of North Dakota, who, while oppos-
ing the ship subsidy bill, said that he
is for Roosevelt in 1908, and so is his
state. It will send a delegation to the
convention to urge his nomination.
This statement elicited applause from
the Republicans.

Messrs. Randall of Texas and Hol-
iday of Indiana opposed the bill, and
Mr. Moran of Michigan supported it.
Mr. Gaines of Tennessee, in closing
the debate against the bill, became in-
volved in a controversy with Mr. Kahn
of California, and the chair reminded
Mr. Gaines of the rules governing per-
sonalities.

REORGANIZATION DETAILS.

President and Secretaries Taft and
Root Have a Conference.

Washington, Feb. 28.—The presi-
dent had a conference at the white
house with Secretaries Taft and Root
regarding the working out of the de-
tails of the reorganization scheme for
the Panama canal work. It is under-
stood that in addition to the changes
in the commission already reported,
it has been decided that Colonel
Haines of the United States army, re-
tired, and Benjamin Harrod, civil en-
gineer, both members of the present
commission, shall retire. Admiral En-
dicott, who is the only remaining mem-
ber of the old commission, will be re-
tained on the new commission, as the
law requires that one civil engineer of
the navy shall be included in its mem-
bership.

In view of the increased cost of liv-
ing in their transfer to the isthmus,
and the fact that they are to be called
upon to undertake professional work
of high grade, for which their prede-
cessors have been liberally compens-
ated, the three engineer officers of the
army, Majors Goethals, Gaillard
and Sibert, who were named as mem-
bers of the commission, and engineers
to conduct the canal construction, will
be the recipients of salaries consid-
erably in excess of those they now re-
ceive, namely, \$4,000 a year.

SHALLENBERGER RESIGNS.

Second Assistant Postmaster General

to Engage in Private Business.
Washington, Feb. 28.—Official an-
nouncement was made by Postmaster
General Cortelyou of the resignation
of W. S. Shallenberger, second assist-
ant postmaster general. Mr. Shallen-
berger submitted his resignation to
President Roosevelt on the 7th inst.,
and it was accepted. Mr. Shallen-
berger will continue his duties for several
weeks.

Representative James M. McCleary
of Minnesota, who retires March 4,
succeeded Mr. Shallenberger.
Edwin Madden, third assistant post-
master general, also will retire within
a few weeks. His resignation has not
yet been accepted, but it is under-
stood that it will be in a few days.

MORTALITY REPORT.

Half a Million Lives Sacrificed to Dis-
ease in 1905.

Washington, Feb. 28.—The census
department has issued its report on
mortality. Out of only two-fifths of
the population of the United States
more than half a million lives were
offered up in 1905 as a sacrifice to
disease. Starting as this death rate
may seem, it was less than that for
the preceding year, but was in excess
of the number of deaths registered
for any other year. This death rate
is lower than that of Ireland, Germany
and Italy for the same period, but
higher than that of England, Wales,
Scotland and The Netherlands.

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